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For: TIME-CONTROLLED-RELEASE ACTIVE-INGREDIENT-CONTAINING
TRANSDERMAL SYSTEMS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Preliminary to examination of the above-identified application kindly amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

In claim 3, line 1, kindly delete "one of the preceding claims" and substitute therefor --claim 1--;

In claim 4, line 1, kindly delete "any one of the preceding claims" and substitute therefor --claim 1--;

In claim 5, line 1, kindly delete "any one of the preceding claims" and substitute therefor --claim 1--;

In claim 6, line 1, kindly delete "any one of the preceding claims" and substitute therefor --claim 1--;

In claim 7, line 1, kindly delete "any one of claims 2 to 6" and substitute therefor --claim 2--;

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